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tory, the North West Territories and British
Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty
one years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. No
more than 500 acres will be leased to one ap-
plicant.
Application for a lease must be made in the
Agent or Sub-Agent of the districts in which the
rights are applied for are situated.
In leased territory the land must be de-
scribed by sections, or legal subdivisions of
sections, and in unleased territory the tract
applied for shall be stated out.
Each application must be accompanied by a
fee of \$5, which will be refunded if the rights
applied for are not available but not otherwise.
A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable
output of the mine at the rate of five cents per
ton.
Every Lessee of coal mining rights which are
not being operated shall furnish the district
Agent of Dominion Lands with a sworn state-
ment to that effect at least once in each year.
The lease will include the coal mining rights
only, but the lessee may be permitted to pur-
chase whatever available surface rights may
be considered necessary for the working of the
mine at the rate of \$10 an acre.
For full information application should be
made to the Secretary of the Department of the
Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent
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MAY HAVE LIGHT NOW

LEGISLATOR PASSES BILL ENABLING FRANK TO SELL BONDS.

COURT TO SIT HERE

Attorney General Orders location of dis-
trict Court at Frank - Blairmore as a
Railroad - Made New Record in
Passing a Bill Through House.

Mark Drumm, editor of THE FRANK
PAPER, returned Sunday from Ed-
monton whither he was sent by the
village council on business for the
village. His mission was to secure
for Frank a sitting of the district
court and if possible to induce the
legislature to pass a bill to enable
the village to lease a town electric
lighting plant. He was successful
in both matters.

With regard to the court matter,
it had been known for some time that
a sitting of the court would be set for
some place in The Pass and as two
kinds of the business of the court
or, at least, Mr. Drumm found that any
other place, it was felt that Frank,
with the best accommodations to be
had in the district was the place at
which it should be held. On arriving
at Edmonton, Mr. Drumm found the
sitting of the court had been set for
Blairmore but it was not a difficult
matter to convince Attorney General
Cross, always a man of fine judgment
and exceeding fairness, that an
injunction was being done and a sitting
at Frank was specially ordered.

Securing the passage of the special
bill was a different matter. The
time had expired when private bills
might be introduced and the govern-
ment was reluctant to establish such
a precedent but on being shown the
extreme need in which the village
stands of having a local court, Pres-
ident Rutherford was broad minded
enough to realize that any annoyance
the government might experience
from creating such an unbalanced
precedent was over-balanced by the
inconvenience to which the people of
Frank would be put by being forced
to wait more than another year for
the relief they sought. He accord-
ingly sank his scruples and gave his
consent. From that point it was
easy sailing. Attorney General Cross
placed at the disposal of Frank's re-
presentative, an attorney to draft the
bill and petition and everything the
government could do to facilitate
matters was done.

The only means by which the bill
could be passed was by unanimous
consent and had any member raised
an objection to the suspension of
all rules, the measure could not have
gone through but to the credit of
every member, opposition and gov-
ernment alike, he it said, that when
the facts were explained, not an ob-
jection was raised to the unprecedented
of procedure. And thus was J. P.
Marcellus, who had charge of the
bill, enabled to establish a record
which is said to stand without a paral-
lel in parliamentary procedure in
the matter of putting a private bill
through a legislative body. When
Mr. Marcellus rose to ask unanimous
consent to the presentation of the
petition, unanimous consent was
granted and the petition was read;
under further suspension of the rules
the bill was read the first and second
times. Then Chairman Rosecrutt of
the standing orders committee sub-
mitted a report for his committee ask-
ing for unanimous consent to the sus-
pension of the rules requiring that
private bills be advertised. This
was granted and the bill reported to
the committee of the whole. Premier
Rutherford moved that the house go
into committee of the whole to con-
sider the bill which was reported by
that committee without amendment,
for passage. The bill was then placed
upon third reading and final pas-
sage and in exactly twenty minutes
from the time Mr. Marcellus first
rose his bill was ready for the
signature of the lieutenant governor.
The official portions of the bill
are as follows:

AN EXPLANATION

THE FRANK PAPER did not appear
last week owing to the editor being
called away without notice which
rendered it impossible to secure the
services of a substitute and as there
was no one to do the editing it was
necessary to pass the issue. As the
business in hand was that of the pub-
lic and in the sacrifice was perhaps
greater on the part of the publisher,
we trust subscribers will overlook
the omission. As the editor, when
leaving, expected to return in time
to get the paper out as usual, the
editorial page was prepared and put
to press which accounts for the fact
that the date line on that page ap-
pears to be in error.

Advertising Alberta

Geo. F. Root of Spruce Bluff Farm
Red Deer, did a neat thing the other
day to advertise the fertility of Al-
berta. As he put it, he intended to
dispel the idea that the main occupa-
tion of the people here was
"climbing the north pole". He sent
by a rail to his friends in Iowa a box
containing thirty sheaves of a dozen
heads each of the grain grown on
Spruce Bluff farm this year: Six
rows of barley, two rows of barley,
winter (seed from Sweden), turkey
red winter wheat, Dawson's velvet
chaff winter wheat, Haine's pedigree
spring wheat, thimble sowed with
winter wheat. These samples made
a very beautiful and significant ex-
hibit. Indeed, those who are famil-
iar with the prolific soil of Alberta
would themselves admit these silent
yet eloquent witnesses that go to up-
hold the fame of the west. -Inland
Province.

The village of Frank shall have
full power and authority to construct,
maintain and operate a municipal
plant for the production and distribu-
tion of electricity for light and power
purposes and for this purpose shall
have power to construct, purchase,
improve, extend, hold, maintain,
manage and conduct any works which
it may deem requisite and also to
supply, sell or lease all fittings, ap-
paratus, meters or other things for
the purpose aforesaid.

And for the purpose aforesaid the
said village of Frank is authorized
and empowered to borrow a sum not
exceeding ten thousand (\$10,000.00)
dollars, by the issue of a debenture
or debentures payable in twenty (20)
years from the date thereof. Such
debenture or debentures shall be in
the form prescribed by the Municipal
Act and shall be signed by the three
councillors and the secretary treas-
urer of the village of Frank and
shall, when so signed, be legal, valid
and binding on the village of Frank
aforesaid notwithstanding any infor-
malities, irregularities or defects
therein either in substance or in form
and shall, to the extent of the revenue
of such village, be a good and
indebted security in the hands of
any bona fide holder thereof.

Some of the most important legis-
lation enacted during the session of
the legislature was passed during the
last two weeks of the session. Among
these measures was the compensation
act, the eight hour day act and the
bill making amendments to the sta-
tutory law.

The compensation act was amend-
ed before passage to provide that
workmen employed on buildings
thirty feet high or over shall come
within the scope of the law. Em-
ployees of farmers in whatever capac-
ity so long as the work pertains solely
to the farm are excluded from the
operation of the act while all other
classes of labor following dangerous
occupations come under the act.
Amendments were also made in rela-
tion to the amount of compensation.
The allowance for boys injured was
raised from \$5 a week to \$7.50 and
the compensation allowed the depen-
dents of persons killed was raised
from \$1500 to \$1800. The law comes
into effect January 1, 1909.

INTERCHANGE EXCURSIONS

ALBERTANS AND WASHINGTONIANS
TO VISIT ONE ANOTHER.

IS PROPOSAL MADE

Malcolm McKenzie of Montreal makes
admirable proposition to chamber
of commerce of Spokane - Bring Two
Countries into closer Affiliation.

Malcolm McKenzie, member of the
legislature for Macleod, has started
a project looking to an interchange
of excursions between the people of
the state of Washington and the pro-
vince of Alberta. Mr. McKenzie was
recently in Spokane and while at-
tending a luncheon of the chamber
of commerce of that place, made the
suggestion that an excursion be run
to Alberta during the harvest season
and that an excursion of the people
of this province be run to Washing-
ton later in the season, the idea be-
ing to afford the people of each
country a better understanding of
the other to the end that the com-
mercial relations between them might be
made closer and their interests natu-
rally advanced.

The suggestion was enthusiastically
taken up by the Washington organ-
ization and negotiations have al-
ready been opened looking to the
carrying out of the proposal. In his
address before the Spokane cham-
ber of commerce, Mr. McKenzie said:

"My purpose in presenting this
project at this time is to bring into
closer affiliation and association the
business men and producers of North-
western Canada and the Inland Em-
pire. Our interests are mutual and
we have much in common; in fact, I
may say that the real development of
the boundary mining district was
made by Spokane capital and enter-
prise. There are several towns in
Spokane who have become million-
aires as the result of their invest-
ments in properties along the south-
ern edge of western Canada and a
number of our people have amassed
fortunes in your timber fruit and ag-
ricultural belts."

The editor of this paper who is the
representative of Frank on the ex-
ecutive committee of the Associated
Boards of Trade for southern Alberta,
had a conference with Mr. McKenzie
on the subject at Edmonton recently
and has already written the president
of the associated boards calling the
matter to his attention with a view to
having all the commercial organiza-
tions in the province extend an invita-
tion to the Spokane chamber of
commerce and if it can be done to ar-
range for the return excursion. Mr.
McKenzie will personally take the
subject of transportation up with
Second Vice President Wm. Whyte
of the C.P.R. and if the commercial
bodies go into the matter earnestly
the excursions will no doubt be ar-
ranged. That they would result in a
great deal of benefit to Alberta there
can be no doubt.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice to Steam Engineers

Notice is hereby given that an ex-
amination will be held by Joseph
Buxton, duly appointed Inspector
of Steam Boilers for the province of
Alberta, at Macleod, March 10th
1908, at 10 A.M. reading room
at 12th and 13th; Pioneer Coach,
Arlington sample room, March
18th; Frank, Frank Hotel, March
20th and 21st at 9 o'clock A.M. for
the purpose of giving engineers and
apprentices an opportunity of qual-
ifying or certifying under the
provisions of the Steam Boilers Act 1906.
Application for examination should
be made to the above named inspec-
tor or to
John Stock,
Deputy Minister,
Department of Public Works,
Edmonton, Alta.
Feb. 25th, 1908.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 27, 1908.

WOULD MAKE PEOPLE THINK.

President A. C. Flumerfelt of the International Coal & Coke and the Alberta Coal companies and the Royal Collieries has undertaken a work which will commend itself to all thinking men. Mr. Flumerfelt is a close student of political economy, as indeed are most men of large mental equipment who are serious minded and he sees in the immigration question now confronting Canada and with Canada, the British empire, the most important problem the two nations—for we are two nations—have to solve and the one which is undoubtedly going to prove the most difficult of solution. In the hope of arousing national sentiment on this perplexing problem and perhaps do something worth while toward assisting in its solution, Mr. Flumerfelt has offered a series of prizes for essays dealing with the question in its different aspects. In placing the matter before the country Mr. Flumerfelt has sent to all the more important papers of Canada, a letter outlining his views on the immigration question, or rather, pointing out his view that every line of industry in the nation is affected by the problem and its ultimate solution and propounding a list of questions which the essays for which prizes are offered are to answer. We regret exceedingly that the full text of Mr. Flumerfelt's letter cannot be given as it is a document of exceeding interest but space forbids. That portion of his letter setting forth the list of prizes and the subjects upon which the essays are to be written, together with the conditions governing the competition, is given herewith:

"I will offer prizes to the value of \$500 (three hundred and fifty dollars) divided as follows:

For the best essay on the questions propounded below, viz: A. B. and C. relating to:

The province of British Columbia \$50
The provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba.....50
The provinces of Ontario and Quebec.....50

The provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.....50

"A. Enumerate the nationalities and also give number of languages spoken in the provinces written up on;

"B. Outline the requirements of such provinces to insure continuous, reasonably rapid development and with harmony.

"C. State the countries from which immigration should be drawn and the best method of attracting and successfully inducing such immigration to the provinces in question, having due regard to existing trade conditions.

"For the most exhaustive, lucid as say on the questions as below, viz: D. E. and F. respecting Canada as a whole, I will offer a first prize of \$100 and a second prize of fifty dollars.

"D. Enumerate of nationalities now resident in Canada, also give number of languages spoken.

"E. Outline the requirements necessary to insure continuous reasonably rapid development and with industrial harmony.

"F. State from what countries should immigration be drawn and the best method of attracting and successfully inducing such immigration

to Canada, having due regard to existing trade conditions.

"The prizes, at the option of each winner, may be taken in money, a piece of silver suitably engraved, or presented to any of the public charities.

"The competition is to close on the 1st of May next and letters should be addressed to Immigration P.O. draw- or 690 Victoria B. C. the same not be opened except by committee, are unlimited as to length, but must be signed or accompanied by card of the writer, with memo on the face of the envelope, indicating the contents of the enclosure

"Well known political economists and educationalists of Canada, will be requested to judge and award the prizes for these essays, my intention being to publish them in pamphlet form and distribute broadcast, in the hope that such distribution will afford to the several provinces information respecting each other."

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 1 and 2, may be reserved, may be introduced by any person who is the holder of a homestead or who has been issued a certificate of one-quarter section of 100 acres.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situated.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) To reside on the homestead for one year and cultivate at least 10 acres of land.

(2) If the father for the mother, if the father is deceased, of the homesteader resides upon a farm or the vicinity of the land reserved for homesteading, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon such person residing on the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has no permanent residence upon the land reserved for him in the vicinity of the homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the land reserved for him in the vicinity of the homestead.

His monthly report in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of satisfaction to apply for patent.

W. C. Clegg,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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IMMIGRATION RUSH BEGINS

Within three weeks the first of the year's immigration influx from the European countries to western Canada will begin. Immigration officials at Halifax and Winnipeg are making preparations for the annual rush of thousands of settlers which will commence in a short time.

The steps which have been taken by those in charge of the work both in Canada and on this side of the line point to every indication that the immigration figures for the coming year will eclipse all past records.

Those in charge of the immigration work at Halifax are making preparations for the handling of from four to five thousand a week after the rush begins, and on this basis, if this keeps up during the remaining months that European steamers are running to the port, the numbers will surpass those of the most successful year in the history of Canada's European immigration. About the first of March it is expected that the rush will begin from the British Isles. Then seven or eight boats will be docking each week which will mean an average of well over four thousand.

The bulk of the European immigration during the past year was from the British Isles. The efforts of the officials in charge was chiefly directed towards securing settlers from England and Scotland and as a result the percentage of British subjects has a larger proportion to the total than it did in any previous year.

Let us turn the attention of the immigration authorities this year has been turned towards the matter of inducing as many as possible from the mother country to take up their residence in western Canada.

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FRANK,

ALBERTA.

Frank News in Brief

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FOUND—A watch. Owner can have same by applying to R.N.W.P. and proving property.

See the Great West Fuel & Trading company's charge of ad in this issue.

Prof. Hinton (congratulated) his night school during the week. He has a good sized class and the undertaking promises to be very successful.

The Frank hockey team went to Michel Sunday to play the team of that place. The game was an excellent one but Frank was defeated 2-1.

It is stated that the long standing controversy over the title to the ground comprising the Blairmore cemetery is about to be settled. By the settlement Blairmore will receive clear title to the land.

The Rev. H. S. Macge, field secretary of the Methodist church Department of Moral Reform and one of Toronto's most eminent ministers of the gospel, passed through Frank Monday en route to British Columbia. Mr. Macge wired Mr. and Mrs. George Copley of his coming and an old acquaintance was pleasantly renewed while the train waited at Frank.

The Coleman hockey team played Fernie at Fernie Wednesday and Friday of last week for the Wixie cup. Fernie won both games. Coleman held the home men down for about twenty minutes in the first game but the members of the Coleman team had done no work since returning from Roseland and were not in condition, the result being that they could not stand the pace and Fernie accordingly carried off the honors in both games by scores of 7-2 and 9-1 respectively.

A. B. MacDonald, candidate of the liberal party in the next dominion election, visited The Pass during the week. Mr. MacDonald has been going about the constituency of late getting acquainted and has now visited all parts of the riding. He brings the gratifying news that from every section of the large constituency he has received the most satisfactory assurances of support, assurance of the kind that assure and he feels that success in the contest is very greatly in his favor. While at The Pass Mr. MacDonald met as many people as possible. Among them he created a distinctly pleasing impression. At this stage it appears quite certain that the vote of the last dominion election will be turned square ly around.

E. W. Lukehardt, at present acting manager of the United Bank at Cowley, was in town over Sunday.

Mark Drumm disposed of another lot of fine poultry during the week. But a very few more birds are to be spared and persons wishing to procure some of this stock for breeding purposes should place orders at once.

The Pacific hotel fire closed Monday last; the action being due to the outcome of the suit of the coal company against A. G. Treble to enforce the clause in the deeds to lots in Coleman whereby purchasees agree not to sell liquor on the premises.

James Brownlee, successor to G. Erickson as superintendent of the Crow Division of the C.P.R. took charge last week. Mr. Brownlee and his superior, General Superintendent Price, went over the line last week. Another change on the line is announced, in which J. R. McNab is succeeded as train master by former Dispatcher Chudleigh.

Owing to the fact that the time originally set by the department of agriculture in which application might be made for government assistance in procuring seed grain being too short for all to secure a supply, the department has extended the time to March 10th. Until that date, therefore, application for such assistance will be received by any secretary of an improvement district, a land agent or sub-land agent, honested inspector, postmaster or member of the mounted police.

(Lethbridge News)

Coyotes are a pest to the country and in spite of the bounty lately placed on their hides they are increasing as fast almost as the increase of population itself. The state veterinary department of Montana, has brought nature to harness to aid in the extermination of the pest in that state. About three years ago a number of young coyotes were caught and incinerated with mangle at a cost of about \$1,500 and turned loose in all parts of the state. The disease spread rapidly and thousands of animals died. According to information gathered by the state veterinary department, the treatment has been most effective and will ultimately result in the extermination of the pest. The mangle is confined entirely to the canine tribe and there is no danger of other animals contracting the disease. This treatment would could be used as effectively in Alberta as it has been in Montana.

EXHIBIT AT DOMINION FAIR

The resources and industrial development of The Pass are to be shown in an exhibit at the dominion fair to be held at Calgary in June. The board of trade took the initial step at the regular monthly meeting Monday evening when the matter was called to the attention of the members and the advisability of making an exhibit was considered. That The Pass should have an exhibit was the unanimous opinion of all the members and the secretary was instructed to make application to the exhibiting association for space. The plan the board decided to act upon was to ask all the coal companies in the district to prepare an exhibit, the whole to be placed in one booth as a district exhibit. Any others having anything to show will be invited to join in the exhibit. It is hoped the exhibit company may be ready to participate.

President Farmer brought up the subject of the fact that a number of real estate dealers have been for some time doing business in the district, selling lots alleged to be in Calgary, Vancouver and other cities, and in fruit lands in B.C. He stated that in many cases, he believed, the property sold was miles outside the limits of any city and worth only a fraction of the price paid for it. He instanced one case in which an unsophisticated individual living near Frank had been misled of about \$7.00 in cash. He believed the business was not legitimate and thought some means should be found to discourage it. There appeared to be no means by which the board could take official action as there was no evidence of fraud at hand but it was agreed by the members that they would do what they could to warn possible investors and by putting them on their guard.

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PREPARE FOR GRADING C.T.P.

(Edmonton Journal)

Foley, Welsh & Stewart, the G. T. P. contractors, have applied to the Canadian Northern company for a warehouse site and with at Stony Plain and will at once erect a building and despatch supplies for the grading operations they are to start as soon as spring opens. Already several carloads of supplies have gone forward and the plans for switching and building contemplate the storing of about 500 carloads during the coming summer.

The Canadian Northern granted the request of the Messrs Foley, Welsh and Stewart for the side track and for the warehouse site.

In a very short time now the big grading outfit that have been employed on the grade to the east of Edmonton will begin to arrive here en route to the west and before a month is out there will be a shortage of labor for construction purposes. In fact the plans of the contractors are such that the supply of men is certain to be inadequate, though many are coming from other points.

While the Canadian Northern officials here are very reticent regarding that company's plans. The Journal is informed that the construction will be pushed this year at least as far as Brazeau coal fields. The company is in great need of bituminous coal, such as the Brazeau article is reported to be and they will make an effort to reach and develop that field during next summer.

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